



CENTRAL OHIO NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION



Box 1561, Dublin, OH 43017

August 2019

When: 7 p.m., Aug. 21
Where: Oakstone Academy
900 Club Dr., Westerville
Topics: Show planning

August presentation

Our August meeting will be largely devoted to the show. However, we will have the quiz, auction and raffle - just no speaker.

Help is needed from Thursday setup to Sunday take-down. Green Hats are what make our show special. Patty has sign-up sheets.

Show details

Location: Crowne Plaza Hotel
Address: 600 Metro Place North, Dublin,
Dealer Setup: Thursday Aug. 29, 3 pm – 8:00 pm
Early Bird Entry: Aug. 31, 4 pm, Badge \$35.00
Admission: \$4, Under 12, free, (\$2 on Sunday)

Central Ohio Numismatic Association members receive free admission, and members who volunteer their time to help with the show as part of the Green Hats, receive a free lunch on the days they volunteer.

Liberty Seated Collector's Club

A regional meeting of the LSCC will be held on Friday, Aug. 30, 2019 from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. at the Crowne Plaza hotel Boardroom in Dublin, OH.

Gerry Fortin, club president, will be hosting the meeting and providing information regarding the club along with a presentation on Seated coinage.

The public is welcome to attend and learn more about Seated coinage.

Early American Copper Society

The Early American Copper Society (EAC), will hold a short meeting at the Crowne Plaza Hotel at 9 a.m. on Saturday, Aug. 31 in the Boardroom, next to Room 175, the Wexford.

All are welcome, both members, as well as, those curious about our interest in the history and collection of our Nation's first copper coinage. Take a few minutes to meet other EAC members and learn about our next Spring Annual meeting to be held in the Pittsburgh area.

Picnic

When: 12-5 Aug. 11

Where: UA's Thompson Park, South Shelterhouse

Eats: CONA supplies hot dogs and burgers. Please bring a dish to share.

Details: Attached sheet

August newsletter

The August newsletter is being mailed early because of the Aug. 11 picnic. The auction list will be emailed later, but will not be placed in the U.S. mail.

July presentation

John R. became the club's first two-time medal winner as he gave his long-delayed presentation on Peace dollars: *My Collection of U.S. Peace Dollars or How I Fell in Love with the Peace Dollar and Completed an Entire Date and Mint Collection Within a Year on a School Custodian's Salary and Didn't Break the Bank.*

John was originally scheduled to deliver the talk months ago, but a power outage shut us down.

John, whose main collection is ancients, which are noted for their high relief, called cartwheels the "Pringles" of coinage, because they stack. Peace dollars, he said, "are the best Pringles of them all."

When John decided to collect Peace dollars he set some parameters on the endeavor. The coins had to be XF or better and "I had to buy on eBay." He noted, "This is where people dump things."

He said he paid an average of \$51.25 for the coins and paid as little as \$12. Despite his concerns about buying through eBay he said he was burned only once, a 1928 advertised as BU for which he paid \$285.

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Taxes

We lost. The Ohio General Assembly reinstituted the sales tax on gold and silver in the two-year Ohio budget and Gov. Dewine chose not to veto it.

September newsletter

Because of time conflicts next month, the newsletter will be mailed and emailed early and without an auction list. Regular timing will resume in October.

Club auction

Send Sept lots to Steve B - sb...@columbus.rr.com - by Sept. 9

Raffle

Tickets are \$1 each; 6 for \$5; 13 for \$10.

July winners

Door prizes: Steve Petty, Chett B, Vern W r and Garlene Smithson

Raffle: Lexa Petty

50/50: Tony Cass won the \$48. The pot begins anew.

Columbus Coin Show

When: Aug. 18 - 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Where: Makoy Center, Hilliard

Admission: CONA members get in free

Speakers

Sept. ... Marie G and Geoff (odd and curious)

Oct. ... Bruce S

Nov. ... Chris P (1952) and Marie (Seattle)

Dec. ... Banquet Dec. 11 at Heritage Golf/Hilliard

Jan. ... Heath M, US Mint FDR medals

Hilltop auction

When: Aug. 27, (5:30 p.m. lot viewing)

Where: Grove City Coin, 2655 Columbus St.

Holiday banquet

Where: Heritage Golf Club, Hilliard

When: Wednesday, Dec. 11

Cost: \$20 for members, \$40 for nonmembers.

Dublin Crowne Plaza is not available this year. Steve Petty, who scouted out the new location, says it's better and cheaper.



CONA President Spence Sunderland presents a Green Hat medal to Evan and Nancy Brill for their years of service as bourse chairmen. "We started when we were 10," quipped Nancy. Patty and Tony Cass currently head the bourse operation.

[The Telegraph - Aug 7, 1924](#) [Browse this new](#)

FIFTY-CENT COUNTERFEITS

Nashua citizens should look sharply at fifty cent pieces, before accepting or passing them on. A number of very clever counterfeit pieces are in circulation in the city and several are held at present at the local banks. The printing, markings, and size are identical with the original, but they discolor easily and are somewhat darker, the counterfeit will not ring true and the letters and numbers are not as clear cut as the original. Be especially guarded against those half-dollars dated 1909, as that seems to be the date of the spurious mould.

Columbus Coin Show 3rd Sunday Every Month 2019 Dates

*Jan 20 Feb 17 Mar 17 Apr No Show May 19 June 16
July 21 Aug 18 Sept 15 Oct 20 Nov 17 Dec 15

Hours 10-4 • \$2 Admission 18 or Older

*Jan Show Only at the
Franklin Country Fair Grounds (Edwards Building)
Show Location:
Makoy Center
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In memoriam

John King and James Vanos

CONA, sadly, lost two members in July.

John King 1939 - 2019

A much-loved husband, father and grandfather, John H. King, age 79, of Reynoldsburg, Ohio, passed away on July 10, 2019, at St. Ann's Hospital. John was born October 9, 1939, to the late Lawrence and Emma (Morgart) King in Washington, Pennsylvania. He proudly served his country in the U.S. Army in Panama during the Vietnam Era. He resided in Elyria, Ohio for over 30 years where he raised his family.



John was a member of the Knights of Columbus, American Legion, and CONA. He was an avid collector of memorabilia and a long-time Indians fan. He loved spending time with his family, especially his four granddaughters. And he always had a pocketful of biscuits for the family dogs.

John is survived by his loving wife of 52 years, Deanna King; daughters, Jennifer (Anthony) Koesters, Heather (Paul) Adams, Melissa (David) Lewis; grandchildren, Kristin, Emily, Abigail, Elizabeth; brother, Francis (Toni) King; sister, Carol Linton; and several nieces and nephews.

A visitation was held on TUESDAY, July 16, 2019, from 6-8PM at the PFEIFER FUNERAL HOME in Reynoldsburg. A Mass of Christian Burial followed on WEDNESDAY, July 17, at St. Matthew the Apostle Catholic Parish, Gahanna, with Fr. Peter Asantebwana officiating. Military burial with honors was held on THURSDAY, July 18 at the Dayton National Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in John's

memory to the Honor Flight Columbus. Online condolences available at www.pfeiferfuneral.com

James Smith Vanos 1926 - 2019

James Smith Vanos of Dublin, Ohio, passed away Saturday July 6th at The University of Michigan Hospital Ann Arbor MI surrounded by his family. He was 93 years old.

Jim was born in Chicago and grew up on his grandfathers farm in Corinth Mississippi. After high school in 1944 he enlisted in the U.S. Navy, serving in Scouts and Raiders in WWII.

He attended Roosevelt College in Chicago and relocated to Columbus Ohio in 1953 after marrying his wife Vivian.

In addition to his wife of 66 years, he is survived by his daughter Sally Fielding, and son James Vanos, Grandsons Nevada (Julia) & Christmas Fielding, granddaughters Guinness and Pippa Vanos, Son-in-law Jerry Fielding, Brother-in-law Glenn McNutt, Sister-in-law Marcie Lewis.

He was a devoted father and friend. Jim was a successful business man founding Vanos Sales Ent. in 1970 and developed Twin Oaks Golf Course. He was and avid golfer, fisherman, and small game hunter. Playing golf and Hickory Hills Golf Course and Muirfield Village Golf Club. Fished at Pickwick Lake Tennessee and pheasant hunting in South Dakota.

He had many interests and pursued all of them with great enthusiasm. He was and active member of Westminster Presbyterian Church. He will be sorely missed. Jim's final resting place will be Iuka Cemetery, Iuka, Mississippi.

A Memorial Service will be held at a later date.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Wounded Warrior Project.



The Numismatist devoted a page this month to district reps, including our own Bob Smithson.

Your ANA District Representative Can Help!



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CONA Coin Club Picnic

August 11, 2019

1:00 to 5:00 P.M. South Shelter House
Lane Road/Thompson Park in Upper Arlington



Please bring a dish to share, enough for 10 to 12 servings.
Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, Soft Drinks, Plates, Napkins, and
Silverware will be provided.



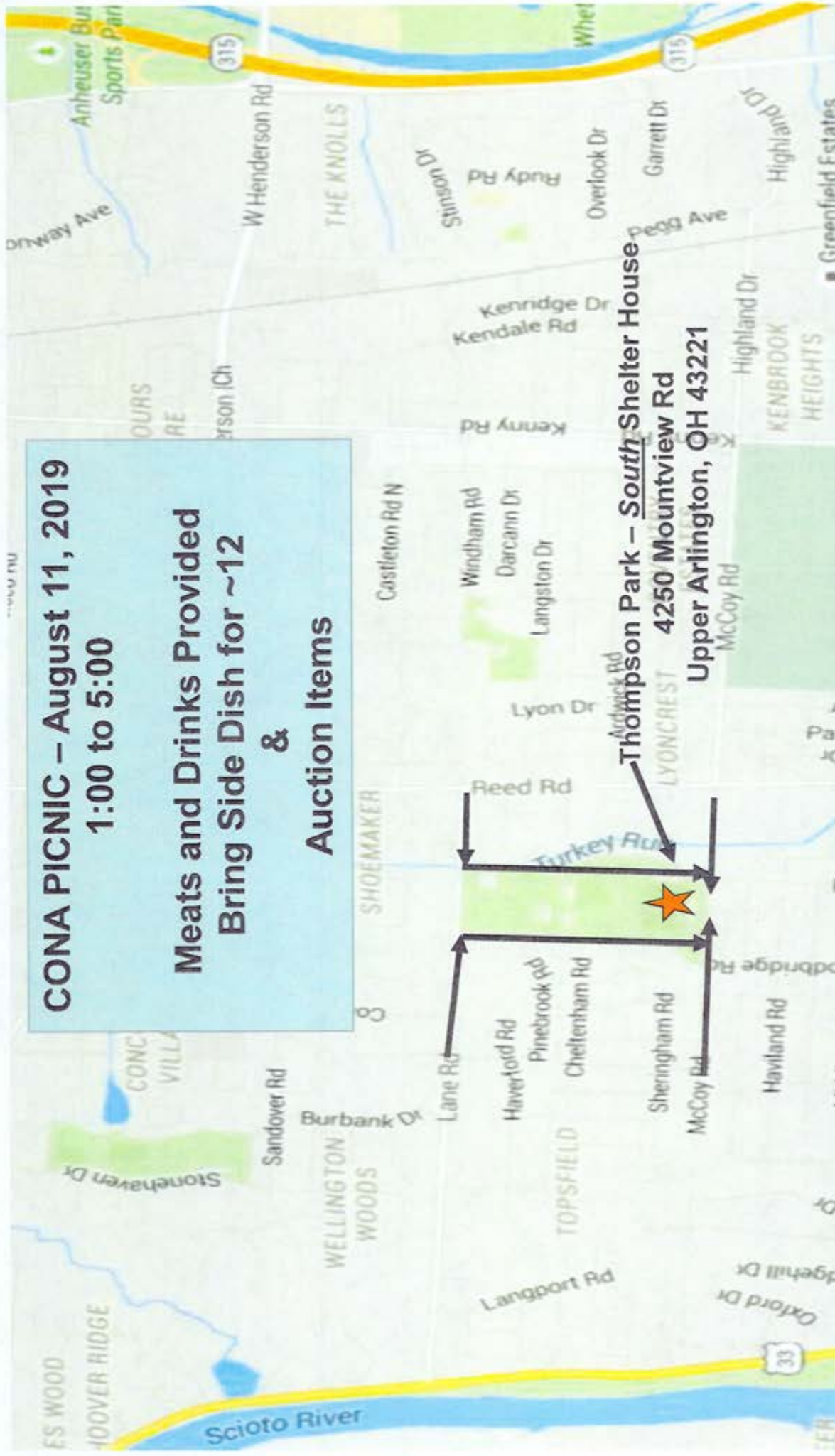
Serving will begin at 1:00 to allow ample time for dining,
visiting, and planned events.



Volunteers, please arrive at 12:00 noon to help set up.

**CONA PICNIC – August 11, 2019
1:00 to 5:00**

**Meats and Drinks Provided
Bring Side Dish for ~12
&
Auction Items**



From I-270: East on Fishinger Rd. to Riverside Dr., North to McCoy Rd., East to Mountview Rd., North to Shelter House parking lot.

From RT-315: West on Henderson Rd. to Reed Rd., South to McCoy Rd., West to Mountview Rd., North to Shelter House parking lot.

From W. N. Broadway: West to Kenny Rd., North to McCoy Rd., West to Mountview Rd, turn North and enter first entrance on left.